IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)	
)	Confirmation No. 6505
Martin James Drysdale et al.)	Group Art No. 1625
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Serial No: 10/574,788)	Examiner: Patricia L. Morris
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Filed: January 19, 2007)	Docket No. 010180.00051

For: Pyridothiophene Compounds

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated August 7, 2008, in connection with the above-identified application. The fee for a two month extension of time is being paid concurrently herewith.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect, without traverse, the invention of Group I wherein Ar¹ is an aryl, and Q, R₂-R₄, R^A-R^C are non-heterocyclic groups.

In response to the election of species requirement, Applicants elect the species of Example 14 and the disease cancer. The claims that read on the elected species include 1, 8, 9, 12, 13, 15 and 17.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application directed to the non-elected inventions prior to the termination of proceedings in this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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